

SCIENTIFIC NAME COMMON NAME	STATUS N.C. U.S.		RANK N.C. GLOBAL	
<i>Pseudognaphalium helleri</i> Heller's rabbit-tobacco	SR		S3	G3G4
<i>Rhus michauxii</i> # Michaux's sumac	E	E	S2	G2G3
<i>Solidago rigida</i> var. <i>glabrata</i> southeastern bold goldenrod	SR		S2	G5T4
<i>Symphotrichum georgianum</i> Georgia aster	T	C	S3	G2G3
<i>Symphotrichum laeve</i> var. <i>concinnum</i> * narrowleaf aster	T		S2	G5T4
<i>Trifolium reflexum</i> # buffalo clover	SR		S1S2	G3G4

EXPLANATION OF STATUS AND RANK CODES FOR PLANTS

N.C. Status:

E = Endangered. Any species or higher taxon of plant whose continued existence as a viable component of the State's flora is determined to be in jeopardy" (GS 19B 106: 202.12). Endangered species may not be removed from the wild except when a permit is obtained for research, propagation, or rescue which will enhance the survival of the species.

T = Threatened. Any resident species of plant which is likely to become an endangered species within the foreseeable future throughout all or a significant portion of its range" (GS 19B106:202.12). Regulations are the same as for Endangered species.

SC = Special Concern. Any species of plant in North Carolina which requires monitoring but which may be collected and sold under regulations adopted under the provisions of [the Plant Protection and Conservation Act]" (GS 19B 106:202.12).

SC-V = Special Concern-Vulnerable. Any species or higher taxon of plant which is likely to become a threatened species within the foreseeable future (02 NCAC 48F .0401).

SC-H = Special Concern-Historical. Any species or higher taxon of plant that occurred in North Carolina at one time, but for which all known populations are currently considered to be either historical or extirpated (02 NCAC 48F .0401).

Plant statuses above are determined by the Plant Conservation Program, N.C. Department of Agriculture, revised December 1, 2010. The most current plant-related laws and regulations for North Carolina can be found at www.ncplant.com.